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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number: CE03958R
In re Application of	Powers et al.	
Application Number	09/592,758	Filed 08/13/2000
For	MANAGER-DIRECTED METHOD FOR EVENT PRESSURE REDUCTION	
Group Art Unit	2681	Examiner Ward, R.

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows: (Check time period desired):

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is \$ _____

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☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

☒ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

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I am the:


☐ Applicant/inventor

☐ Assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.

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August 7, 2003
Date


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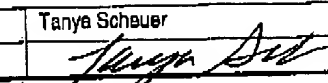
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